

# **World's Columbian Exposition collection S2124**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Rare Books and Manuscripts
<b>Title</b>	World's Columbian Exposition collection
<b>Date</b>	1893-1894
<b>Extent</b>	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Text [Folder]</b>	S2124

### Preferred Citation

World's Columbian Exposition collection, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library

## Historical Note

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The World's Columbian Exposition was held in Chicago, Illinois in 1893 to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the arrival of Christopher Columbus in the Americas in 1492. All of the nation's states and territories exhibited at the fair, including Indiana which had a State Building and a State Day.

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## Scope and Contents

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This collection includes correspondence, lists of World's Fair furniture taken by various individuals and organizations, and an itemized statement from individuals connected to Indiana's involvement with the 1893 World's Fair in Indianapolis, Indiana and Chicago, Illinois ranging from 1893-1894 regarding Indiana State Day, various pieces of furniture, and reimbursement for representing the State at the World's Fair.

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## Arrangement

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This collection is arranged chronologically.

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## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

### Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

### Conditions Governing Use

Legal title, copyright, and literary rights reside with Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN. All requests to publish or quote from manuscripts must be submitted to Rare Books and Manuscripts.

### **Custodial History**

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a records transfer from the Governor's Office on 1964/09/28.

### **Accruals**

No further additions are expected.

### **Processing Information**

Collection processing completed 2016/07/12 by Lauren Patton. EAD finding aid created 2016/07/12 by Lauren Patton.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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### **Corporate Name(s)**

- Indiana World's Fair Commission.

### **Genre(s)**

- Correspondence

### **Personal Name(s)**

- Matthews, Claude

### **Subject(s)**

- Furniture

- World's Columbian Exposition (1893 : Chicago, Ill.)